INVITATION FOR PUBLIC COMMENT

Dear Community Members,

The County of Solano and the Cities of Vacaville, Fairfield, and Vallejo have been allotted \$236,543 by the Federal Bureau of Justice Assistance under the 2010 Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant (JAG) Formula Program.

In accordance with the requirement of the grant, the County and Cities designated the City of Fairfield as the fiscal agent to apply for the funding on behalf of all the eligible agencies in the County and to administer the grant.

In order to maximize the benefit to each agency and the community they serve, the agencies collectively decided it was best to allow agencies to develop individual spending plans within their own allocations of JAG funds.

The rest of this document is a copy of our application for funding and details the planned expenditures of the funding. The primary goals for this funding are to retain jobs to support law enforcement programs, provide technology, equipment and supplies to enhance the capabilities of local law enforcement.

On behalf of all the County and Cities, I encourage you to review the application and I welcome public comment and input on the intended use of funds. You may contact Captain Paul Bockrath, the Grant Administrator, directly with your feedback by dialing (707) 428-7702, or by e-mailing him directly at pbockrath@fairfield.ca.gov.

Our application must be filed with the Bureau of Justice Assistance no later than June 30, 2010. For more information about the grant program, please visit www.ojp.usdoj.gov/bja.

Sincerely.

Chief of Police

Fairfield Police Department